# FOSTER PARENT APPRECIATION BASKETS

The Epworth Children's Home Lowcountry Hub, housed right here at Bethany, is asking churches to help provide baskets for their foster homes. May is Foster Parent Appreciation month, and these baskets will help show how much the homes are needed and valued. Bethany will complete 10 baskets for Epworth and we are accepting monetary donations to purchase the basket items. You can place your donation in the offering plate or bring it to the Business office (please mark it for Epworth Baskets).

## NEW MEMBER SUNDAY

Are you interested in joining our church family? Our next New Member Sunday will be Sunday, May 7 for all services. If you are interested in joining, or for more information, please contact our Membership Director Jack Sehrt, at 843.873.1230 or jsehrt@bethany-umc.com.

# SCAN TO GIVE OPTION

It's easier than ever to give now! Simply scan the QR Code and you will be directed to PushPay, our online giving platform, for the opportunity to give!

## STEPHEN MINISTRY

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." Philippians 4:6
You can unload your worries by talking them out with a trained Stephen Minister. Accept this gift of a caring, listening and non-judgmental friend. Please reach out today with a note placed in the "Care Mail" boxes in the SS building; or give a call to one of these: for women: Leah Martin 404.408.5457 or Marti Johnson 843.442.1675 for men: Denis Tsukalas 843.729.5348 or Mark Barnes 843.873.2130.

# Welcome to Word & Table



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April 2, 2023

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Welcome & Announcements

Songs of Faith

PASTORAL PRAYER

Kids' Moment

**O**FFERING

Scripture Matthew 21: 1-11, Matthew 26:14-27:66

Message "Palms and Passion"

Communion

Song of Faith

BENEDICTION

# **NOTES**

# WEDNESDAY NIGHT BETHANY NOW

There will not be any BNOW classes or meals for the next two weeks (April 5 and April 12). Classes and meals will resume on April 19.

# THE "LAST SUPPER" DURING HOLY WEEK

Leonardo da Vinci's Last Supper will come to life this week (Maundy Thursday, April 6 and Good Friday, April 7 at 7:30pm). The Sanctuary will be transformed into the Upper Room and the disciples will be gathered around the table. Each disciple will reflect on their life, their call to be with Jesus, and wonder if they will be the one to betray Him. Attendance is free, but tickets are required. Tickets are still available and can be picked up at the Welcome Desk or reserve them online through the Bethany website.

## PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

A new directory for our membership is in process. We need all members participating to ensure that the new directory will be complete. Those photographed will receive a free 8x10 portrait. Appointments for April are now available!! Please visit the Bethany website to reserve your spot! Appointments are on a first-serve basis, so SIGN UP TODAY!

# Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Join us for our Annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 8 at 10 am sharp. Preschool will hunt on the playground; K-2nd will hunt on the edge of Azalea Park; 3rd-5th will have a scavenger hunt at the Youth House. There will be lots of eggs and a visit from the Easter Bunny! In the event of rain, the hunt will be cancelled.

# EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 9 WORSHIP TIMES

- 6:30 am Sunrise Service at Azalea Park\* please bring your lawn chair \*(in case of rain we will move to Spell Chapel)
- 8 am Worship in Spell Chapel\*\*
- 8:45 am and 11:15 am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary\*\*
- 8:45 am Word and Table Contemporary in the Fellowship Hall\*\*
   \*\* A Nursery will be provided